

identifies the type of application suitable for receiving the content and arranged to register applications by associating an application on registration with at least one identifier;

a user interface connected to the browser application having a display for displaying content and a user input; and

an interface having a radio transceiver for coupling with an interface of an accessory device comprising a remote application, the interface being arranged to receive content routed to the remote application and to thereby increase the functionality of the handset, wherein the remote application is automatically registered by the router in response to the coupling of the handset and accessory device.

18. A handset as claimed in claim 17 wherein transmission from and to the transceiver is in accordance with the WAP protocol.

19. A handset as claimed in claim 17 wherein the first transceiver and the radio transceiver are separate.

20. A handset as claimed in claim 17 wherein the radio transceiver communicates with the accessory device using low power radio frequency signals.

21. A handset as claimed in claim 20 wherein the radio transceiver transmits and receives signals according to the Bluetooth standard.

22. A handset as claimed in claim 17 wherein the router and the browser application are integrated.

23. A handset as claimed in claim 17 wherein a processor including a memory which executes the browser application.

24. A handset as claimed in claim 17 wherein the router comprises a look-up table associating application addresses with an identifier or identifiers

25. A handset as claimed in claim 24 wherein registration of an application comprises entry of the application's address and an associated identifier or identifiers in the routing table.

26. A handset as claimed in claim 17 wherein the identifier for the content comprises the content type.

27. A handset as claimed in claim 17 wherein the router de-register is registered applications by disassociating the application with an associated at least one identifier.

28. A handset as claimed in claim 27 wherein de-registration occurs in response to removal of an application from the handset and/or in response to the de-coupling of the handset and accessory device.

29. A handset as claimed in claim 17 wherein the browser application is a registered application.

30. A system comprising a radio handset for browsing the Internet and downloading content therefrom and an accessory device for increasing functionality of the radio handset in response to the content, the handset comprising:

a browser application which provides a user of the handset access to the Internet via a first transceiver which sends radio packets to and receives radio packets from an Internet gateway;

a router arranged to route content supplied by the Internet gateway via the first transceiver to a registered application, the content having an identifier for identifying the type of application suitable for receiving the content and arranged to register applications by associating an application on registration with at least one identifier;

a user interface connected to the browser application having a screen for displaying content and a user input; and

an interface having a radio transceiver for coupling with an interface of an accessory device having a remote application, the interface receiving content routed to the remote application and to thereby increase the functionality of the handset; and where

the remote application is automatically registered by the router in response to the coupling of the handset and accessory device.

31. A radio handset for browsing the Internet comprising:

a browser application which allows a user of the handset to access the Internet via a first transceiver means arranged to send radio packets to and receive radio packets from an Internet gateway;

routing means arranged to route content supplied by the Internet gateway via the first transceiver means to a registered application, the content having an identifier for identifying the type of application suitable for receiving the content and arranged to register applications by associating an application on registration with at least one identifier;

a user interface connected to the browser application having a display for displaying content and user input means; and

an interface having a radio transceiver for coupling with an interface of an accessory device comprising a remote application, the interface being arranged to receive content routed to the remote application and to thereby increase the functionality of the handset, wherein the remote application is automatically

registered by the routing means in response to the coupling of the handset and accessory device.

32. A handset as claimed in claim 31 wherein transmission from and to the transceiver is in accordance with the WAP protocol.

33. A handset as claimed in claim 31 wherein the first transceiver means and the radio transceiver are separate.

34. A handset as claimed in claim 31 wherein the radio transceiver is arranged to communicate with the accessory device using low power radio frequency signals.

35. A handset as claimed in claim 34 wherein the radio transceiver transmits and receives signals according to the Bluetooth standard.

36. A handset as claimed in claim 31 wherein the routing means and the browser application are integrated.

37. A handset as claimed in claim 31 wherein a processor means including memory performs the functions of the browser application.

38. A handset as claimed in claim 31 wherein the routing means comprises a look-up table associating application addresses with an identifier or identifiers.

39. A handset as claimed in claim 38 wherein registration of an application comprises entry of the application's address and its associated identifier or identifiers in the routing table.

40. A handset as claimed in claim 31 wherein the identifier for the content comprises the content type.

41. A handset as claimed in claim 31 wherein the routing means is arranged to de-register registered applications by disassociating the application with its associated at least one identifier.

42. A handset as claimed in claim 41 wherein de-registration occurs in response to removal of an application from the handset and/or in response to the de-coupling of the handset and accessory device.

43. A handset as claimed in claim 31 wherein the browser application is a registered application.

44. A system comprising a radio handset for browsing the Internet and downloading content therefrom and an accessory device for increasing the functionality of the radio handset in response to said content, the handset comprising:

a browser application which allows a user of the handset to access the Internet via first transceiver means arranged to send radio packets to and receive radio packets from an Internet gateway;

routing means arranged to route content supplied by the Internet gateway via the first transceiver means to a registered application, the content having an identifier for identifying the type of application suitable for receiving the content and arranged to register applications by associating an application on registration with at least one identifier;

a user interface connected to the browser application having a screen for displaying content and user input means;

an interface having a radio transceiver for coupling with an interface of an accessory device having a remote application, the interface being arranged to receive content routed to the remote application and to thereby increase the functionality of the handset, and wherein

the remote application is automatically registered by the routing means in response to the coupling of the handset and accessory device.